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## PREPARING FOR TITANIC BATTLE ON GREEK BORDER

ALL NATIONS ARE HURLING  
TROOPS INTO ACTION ON  
DISPUTED GROUND

## GRIM WINTER PUTS CRIMP IN TURK SOLDIERS

BIZZARDS RAGING; BULGARS  
GRAB TWO MORE GREEK  
CITIES

### BULLETIN.

(By Associated Press.)

Berlin, Dec. 12.—French and British have been entirely expelled from Macedonia territory it was today officially announced. The advancing army under General Todoroff now occupying Doiran and Givgeli declared that two British divisions were completely wiped out.

Preparations for a decisive battle on the frontier are in the making.

### Declare Confidence.

Rome, Dec. 12.—The Chamber of Deputies today voted confidence to the government by a 231 to 19 vote.

### Bulgars Grab More Cities.

London, Dec. 12.—The Saloniki correspondent to Reuters says: "The evacuation of Doiran and Givgeli was completed today and the Bulgars were reported to be within five miles of the Greek frontier, following closely in the wake of the retreating allies."

### Blizzard in Dardanelles.

London, Dec. 12.—Winter in the Dardanelles is proving a severe test to Australians and Turks alike. Reuters correspondent reports the first blizzard found the Turks unprepared. It was necessary to evacuate several positions as the trenches were flooded with prisoners taken by the British who were poorly clad. It is reported that the Turks are now on half rations.

### Greeks May Meet Bulgars.

Saloniki, Dec. 12.—Newspapers here are generally of the opinion that Bulgarian troops are preparing to cross the Greek frontier. Greek troops are moving toward the threatened points, apparently with the object of disputing the Bulgarian invasion.

### Making Artificial Rubber.

Berlin, Dec. 12.—Automobile tires of artificial rubber are being made in Germany now. The new composition was but recently discovered by a German chemist.

### Hard to Remain Neutral.

London, Dec. 12.—The difficult effort of Greece to maintain neutrality in the face of the allied retreat on Saloniki and the pursuit of the Bulgarians and Germans continues to be the chief matter of interest in the entente capitals. The latest decision of Greece according to an Athens dispatch is to withdraw all of her troops impartially from the danger of contact with the entente troops in Saloniki and the German allies on the northern front, leaving only small groups of soldiers for police purposes.

### Winter Sends Armies to the Trenches.

London, Dec. 12.—The main European armies apparently have settled down to winter quarters.

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## THE WAR A YEAR AGO TODAY

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Allies won three-day battle on the Ix. French gained in the St. Mihiel region. Germans were defeated in the Blaua region. Austrian right wing, driven into Bosnia by Serbians, was attacked by Montenegrins. Brussels and suburbs decided to go over to Germany. Italian artillerymen of older class called out. Antwar demonstrations by women of Konak and Erzerum, Turkey.

## Turkish Troops in Trenches By the Sea



## SAFETY FIRST MEETING HERE ON DEC. 16TH

The first meeting of the state-wide safety first educational campaign that has been outlined by the executive committee is to be held at Guthrie December 16. It will be under the direction of J. H. Douglas, president of the Pioneer Cotton Mill company. It will be followed by other meetings in the larger cities of Oklahoma. In addition to arranging for these meetings, the executive committee has adopted a constitution, and by-laws and arranged plans for financing the work that is expected to be accomplished.

## GUTHRIE MEN AT MEETING DIVIDE ON PARTY LEADER

GLOBE STANDS FOR SINCERITY TO SUCCEED "BIG JIM" HARRIS

Oklahoma City, Okla., Dec. 12.—Following an afternoon devoted to speeches and debate of the national gathering of about fifty republicans from various parts of Oklahoma adopted a resolution inviting H. F. Sinclair of Tulsa to become a candidate for republican national committee.

The meeting was presided over by Robert Kilgough of Tulsa, who was installed as chairman without formality of a vote. Eugene Lorton of Tulsa, one of the sponsors for the meeting made the first speech. He told of the call for the meeting and its need and the desirability, nay necessity, for a new deal in the party. Mr. Lorton mentioned Mr. Sinclair. Frank Parkinson of Lawton, Everett Purcell of Enid made speeches. John Golobie of Guthrie, made a stirring speech in favor of the New York-Tulsa oil man. Cash Cade of Shawnee, Frank Gillette of El Reno, L. K. Revelle of Walters and others also spoke.

### Speakers Want New Deal.

Mr. Cade used to be national committeeman. Messrs. Purcell and Golobie are editors. They are all old timers in the state and the party. They gave their reasons for wanting a new deal and making a change in the office of national committeeman. Mr. Golobie said that Oklahoma is becoming a misanthropic Southern state, under present conditions. Mr. Cade pointed to the need of new faces and new energy to keep Oklahoma out of the list of such Southern states.

A motion was made by Mr. Purcell that the convention invite Mr. Sinclair, who was not present, to become a candidate for national committeeman. Mr. Revelle opposed it. He wanted John Fields or Frank Gillette. Mr.

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## SHRAPNEL IS FIRED AT SATAN BY DR. KENNEDY

BAPTIST EVANGEL MOVES  
VIGOROUSLY ON TRENCHES  
OF UNBELIEF

The third week of revival at the Baptist church, under lead of Evan- gelist Kennedy, was opened Sunday with a whirlwind attack on the satanic stronghold. Interest is deep and increasing with each service, and it is not determined yet just when the revival will close. Other ministers of the city are present at most of the meetings and are assisting the evangelist.

The Saturday evening text was Rom. 14:12, and it told of the accountability of every one at the judgment bar of God. The preacher told how the fear of having to stand by the record was the basis of all modern religion. The conscience of every one will be the accusing witness both now and hereafter. "Every sin we commit is a stab at our conscience," said the evangelist. "An outraged conscience is the worm that never dies and the fire that is never quenched." He then held up the hypocrisy of the critics of some professing Christians. "That critic will know he will be held for his own and not another's sins." The man who paradoxes his own honesty and thus giving received due attention. "They are just whistling a keep-up courage; nothing else," he declared. Then the Guthrie boot-legger and his patrons were handled without gloves; likewise the direct officers and property owners. His final appeal to sinners to seek redemption and mercy through the salvation by Jesus was strong, and brought results.

Sunday morning the sermon was built on the story of Lot, the backslider, as told in Gen. 19th chapter. Lot and his kinsmen were successful herdsmen, but must divide the grazing lands, and selfish old Lot was trying to get hold of the top dollar, but Abraham let him have his own way. Lot selected the green blue grass lands near Sodom. Ambitious Lot soon moved into the city, where Mrs. Lot could get into society, get a better match for her marriageable girls, and where Lot soon got into politics, becoming a sort of councilman—a kind of ward heeler. Just like many modern church members so often do.

Then Abraham, for Lot's sake, tried to save the city. It was the same old story of how God's people are the salt of the earth, and a few, even ten, would have saved that great and wicked city. After the warning, after fire had descended and Lot's family had escaped and were crossing the plain Mrs. Lot must give way to her curiosity, with disastrous results. Many people today, in crossing the

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## DEMOCRATS IN ST. LOUIS ON JUNE 14TH

CHAIRMAN MCCOMBS ISSUES  
FORMAL CALL; ARRANGE-  
MENTS NOW UNDER WAY

New York, Dec. 12.—W. F. McCombs, chairman of the Democratic national committee, issued a formal call for the Democratic national convention in St. Louis June 14, 1916, and announced the personnel of the committee on arrangements, which includes Clark Howell, George and Robert Edwin Lombard.

The statement calls attention to

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## SAFETY FIRST MEETING TO BE HELD HERE

MANY PROMINENT SPEAKERS  
WILL BE ON PROGRAM; THURS-  
DAY AFTERNOON AND NIGHT

The Safety First meeting, to be held here next Thursday promises to be of state wide importance. Among those who have signified their intention of being present are State Labor Commissioner Ashton, S. H. Charles, superintendent of the M. K. & T. railway, R. Hale, superintendent of Safety First work for the entire Santa Fe System, C. E. Kiser, of the Bartlesville Smelter and Gas company; Fred Russell, president of the public service company of Oklahoma and L. C. Purcell, of the Oklahoma City Railway company. There will be a meeting at the Pioneer Cotton Mills, at the high school and ward schools in the day time and evening meetings at the opera house and probably a noon-day luncheon by the Chamber of Commerce.



ONLY 10 MORE DAYS  
- READ THE ADS -

## CHRISTMAS BARGAIN OFFER

On account of the Christmas holidays, The Daily Leader will receive yearly subscriptions between Dec. 8 and Dec. 31, 1915, at the rate of Two Dollars and Fifty Cents per year. This offer is good only within the time stated and is open to mail subscriptions only. Daily one year, \$2.50; Oklahoma Weekly Leader, one year, 50 cents. See announcement in detail on page 7.

## WILLIAMS IS TELLING BOYS TO GET READY

SPECIAL SESSION IS AS CER-  
TAIN AS JANUARY 10TH  
ROLES ROUND

Mustache, Dec. 12.—Kelly Brown, representative in the state legislature from Carter county, received a letter from Governor Williams yesterday in which the governor said he hoped Brown would be present in the event of a special session of the legislature is called.

The governor also stated that he had been reading in the newspapers that the commissioners of Carter county had chosen a "successor to Brown, going on the assumption that Brown had removed from the county

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## REDMAN HAS NARROW ESCAPE FROM DEATH

LIKEWISE A GERMAN, WHO SAYS  
HE DIDN'T MEAN TO  
SHOOT

When Grant Redman, deputy sheriff, confident and smiling, neared Gus Schmidt in the lobby of the Elks hotel Saturday night, the farthest thing from his mind was serious trouble. It was 6 o'clock when Redman stepped into the hotel; ten minutes before that time he had received a phone message from Goyle to watch out for a small "Dutchman" wearing a big fur coat. The coat had been stolen from Earl Norman, Saturday afternoon by Schmidt. Redman recognized the man and the coat as soon as he set eyes on Schmidt. "I want to talk with you on the outside," said Redman to Schmidt, seeking to save him from the embarrassment of arrest in the crowded lobby. "No, come with me up stairs," said Schmidt. Redman then began to question the nature of the man he was dealing with. He slipped his gun into easy reach and followed his man upstairs. In the darkness of the upstairs hall Schmidt turned on the floor with drawn revolver. Redman made a grab at him and knocked up his pistol arm, just in time to save himself. A quick shot by Redman put the German out of the running, the ball striking the collar, button at the back of his neck and stunning him. He fell to the floor and Redman thought he had killed him. Examination, however, developed the fact that the ball had merely "creased" Schmidt's neck, stunning him. It was a narrow escape for both prisoner and officer. Schmidt is in jail charged with resisting an officer.

## LUTZ ESTATE PAYS BIG INHERITANCE TAX

JUDGE CHAPPEL  
SHELLENBARGER  
ESTRATOR

In the matter of the estate of Frederick Lutz, deceased, the county court in a decision rendered after the close market value of said estate after deductions and allowances, the following amounts were taxed by the court: Mrs. Edith Lutz, widow, the sum of \$112.22; Adelaide Lutz, daughter, \$892.62; Charles Lutz, son, \$29.44. Total \$1,034.28. The estate was valued at \$2,000.00. Indebtedness, \$79,104.02. Balance due to inheritance tax, \$1,920.77.50.

Frank R. Schellenbarger has been appointed by the county court administrator of the estate of Henry Schellenbarger, deceased. His bond was approved by the court for the sum of \$2,000.00. The court was called out upon to pass on the validity of whether a certificate or demand received by the Guthrie Savings bank to Henry Schellenbarger for the sum of seven hundred dollars and which was assigned to William Schellenbarger, Emma Schellenbarger and Mollie Schellenbarger, should be considered an asset of the estate. The court held that the assignment constituted a valid gift of said certificate, and that

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## MRS. JOHN WALLACE DEAD.

The funeral services for Mrs. John Wallace, who died Sunday night at 10 o'clock at her home four miles east of the city, will be held at 2:30 o'clock Tuesday afternoon. Interment will be made in Summit View cemetery.

The deceased was stricken with a hemorrhage of the brain Sunday morning. Everything known to medical science was used in an effort to save her, but to no avail. She had been suffering for years with neuritis of the head but recently had been in fairly good health. She leaves a husband and son to mourn her untimely death.

## DYNAMITE IS FOUND UNDER RAILROAD BRIDGE

RELIEVED PART OF PLAN TO  
IMPEDE SHIPMENT OF  
MUNITIONS

Oakland, Cal., Dec. 12.—A package containing six sticks of dynamite, equipped with caps and fuses, were found by an Italian fisherman today under a bridge over Alhambra creek, a short distance west of Martinez, which carries the main line tracks of the Southern Pacific Railroad. Over this bridge pass trains carrying the output of the Hercules Powder Company and the Standard Oil Company to the East.

Officers were immediately sent out to search the region, as it was feared similar packages might have been

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## PITTSBURG COUNTY OFFICIALS REMOVED

McAlester, Dec. 12.—The special grand jury which convened here November 29, closed its second week of work late Saturday by returning a writ of accusations against public officers. The indictments are mostly liquor charges and bring the total number returned by this grand jury to fifty-five. The accusations are against W. H. Dulaney county assessor, charging habitual and wilful neglect of duty, and Fletcher Arnold, justice of the peace, charging habitual drunkenness. Removal from office is asked in both cases.

## CONFERS WITH LANSING.

(By Associated Press.)  
Washington, Dec. 12.—Baron Zweidnek, in charge of the Austrian embassy, conferred today with Secretary Lansing on the Ancona case. Lansing declined to answer questions.

## STRIKE BEGINS WHEN FORD PEACE FOLKS DISAGREE

RESOLUTION CONDEMNING  
WILSON'S POLICY IS  
TURNED DOWN FLAT

## JUDGE LINDSEY DECLARED PROPOSAL UNPATRIOTIC

MAY MAKE DIRECT APPEAL  
TO POWERS OF WARRING  
NATIONS

(By Associated Press.)

Aboard Steamship, Dec. 12.—(By Wireless)—A resolution, condemning President Wilson's preparedness policy, brought on a strong protest from Ford's party, when it was presented some of the prominent members at its adoption.

The resolution was drawn by Rev. Jenkins Jones and Rev. Chas. Aked and others, who asked that it be signed by all members of the party as their platform.

More than a dozen members, including S. S. McClure of New York, and Judge Lindsey, of Denver, refused to sign on the grounds that the resolution was unpatriotic.

Some of them even threatened to leave the party after it had reached here, but to no avail. She had been suffering for years with neuritis of the head but recently had been in fairly good health. She leaves a husband and son to mourn her untimely death.

"It looks like a boom either for business or for a presidential candidate being attempted," said a prominent member of the party.

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The intelligence that the name of Henry Ford has been placed on the Nebraska Republican ticket as a candidate is being attempted," said a prominent member of the party.

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## OKLAHOMA CRUDE OIL PASSES DOLLAR MARK

Tulsa, Okla., Dec. 12.—Oklahoma crude oil was given another boost in price today. An advance of 10 cents the barrel was posted this morning by all Oklahoma pipe lines. This makes the present price \$11.10.

## READJUSTMENT OF LIVE STOCK RATES ANNOUNCED

(By Associated Press.)  
Washington, Dec. 12.—A general readjustment of live stock rates north of Ohio and the Potomac rivers and east of the Mississippi was authorized by the interstate commerce commission today. Many increases are authorized.

## THE WEATHER

## THE CHEERFUL CHERUB

The greatest of joys is in giving, I think. You will surely find gladness that way. But I'm willing to give without thought of reward. Im feeling so preachy to-day.

(By Associated Press.)  
New Orleans, La., Dec. 12.—Tonight fair. Tuesday fair and warmer.